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For : INHIBITION OF TUMOR ANGIOGENESIS BY COMBINATION OF

THROMBOSPONDIN-1 AND INHIBITORS OF VASCULAR

ENDOTHELIAL GROWTH FACTOR

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

In response to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2009, in connection with the above-identified patent application ("Office Action"), Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and response.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.